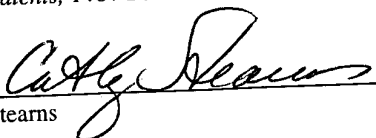


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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Applicant : Ho-Jin Kweon, et al.
Application No. : 09/963,872
Filed : September 25, 2001
Title : METHOD OF PREPARING POSITIVE ACTIVE MATERIAL FOR RECHARGEABLE LITHIUM BATTERIES

Grp./Div. : 1762
Examiner : Brian K. Talbot

Docket No. : 47173/DBP/Y35

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Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated March 11, 2004 for one month(s) from June 11, 2004 to July 11, 2004.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 55	\$ 110	\$110
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 210	\$ 420	\$
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 475	\$ 950	\$
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$ 740	\$1480	\$
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$1005	\$2010	\$

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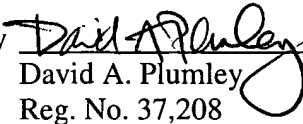
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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